

21 October 1974

MEMORANDUM FOR: Lieutenant General Samuel V. Wilson, USA
Deputy to the DCI for the Intelligence
Community

Dear Sam:

Re your note of 18 October, I will be delighted to do all I can to help you with the Intelligence Panel of the NSCIC Working Group. Unfortunately, 1430 on Friday is one time at which I cannot make a meeting of this august body since I am already committed to receiving the Budget Bureau's examiners in my office at that hour on that day. If the panel meeting can be changed, I would obviously like to attend. If not, perhaps we could caucus privately after the panel session.


George A. Carver, Jr.
Deputy for National Intelligence Officers

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy to the DCI for National
Intelligence Officers

Dear George:

The NSCIC Working Group is being reconstituted as a user organization, as indicated in the attached letter and attachment which Brent Scowcroft dispatched for Dr. Kissinger on 10 October. Since I have been designated as the DCI representative, I will serve as the Working Group Chairman. (A copy of Mr. Colby's memorandum to NSCIC designating me also is attached).

Because it is intended that the Working Group itself be user-oriented, I consider it important that the Group be supported by an Intelligence Panel, which I also intend to chair.

This panel will enable key elements of the Intelligence Community to play a consultative role on problems to be considered by the Working Group, and will provide a channel by which the Community can be kept informed of Working Group actions and the nature of the topics to which NSCIC attention is being addressed. One function of the panel will be to propose matters on which NSCIC guidance is needed by the Community. Another function will be to review papers of direct intelligence import prepared within the Community for submission to the Working Group for review.

I am planning that the panel will include representatives of DIA, CIA, NSA, INR/State and the NIO organization.

Once it is organized and functioning, I would expect the panel to meet more than once or twice a month.

In order to get underway, I am planning an initial panel meeting in my office at 1430 hours on Friday, 25 October, which will precede the first meeting of the new Working Group the following week.

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I would appreciate it very much if you would serve as the NIO spokesman on the panel.

Samuel V. Wilson
Lieutenant General, USA
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Attachments
As stated

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